



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1762
PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

XUEYING HUANG ET. AL.

CASE CL1943USNA
NO.:

APPLICATION NO.: 10/630248

CONFIRMATION NO.: 9378

GROUP ART UNIT: 1762

EXAMINER:

FILED: JULY 30, 2003

FOR: ETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOLAYER PROTECTED NANOPARTICLES

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED FEBRUARY 7 2007

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants respond to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on February 7, 2007. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.